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Maine Woodturner



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Dear Members:

The November meeting went very well. Our thanks to David Lancaster for his demo and for wanting to come back in January for another demo on finish turning.

My thanks to everyone for trying to keep the talk down when people are demonstrating or at least taking the talk outside or in the office. It's distracting when a demonstrator is trying to talk over someone else's discussion.

David gave me insights into the sharpening of a bowl gouge that I didn't have before and I thank him for that. David holds the attention of the crowd and makes for an entertaining night. There will be some discussion on demonstrators and whether or not we want to start charging for the nationally known imported demonstrators. Maybe we could charge our members \$20.00 plus food a day for the couple demonstrators we get in each year.

I've also been talking to some of the members about a show in this area for the Maine Woodturners. Possibly at Roundtop, a gallery in Damariscotta or in some other location. I'll talk to the Thomas Moser Gallery in Freeport. Possibly we could do a fund raising auction in conjunction with the show. If we publicize it as an educational fund raiser we might get a lot of response. I for one would be happy to donate a couple of bowls to get more demonstrators like Christian Burchard.

Speaking of Christian Burchard, the two pieces he created will be auctioned off at this meeting.



Peter Asselyn is on the hook for the bring back raffle in December. Can't wait to see what he brings in.

Maine Association of Woodturners Membership Application

Name: _____ Date: _____

Business Name: _____

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Where did you learn about the MAW? _____

Membership Fee is \$25.00. Membership runs from September to September.

Make check Payable to: Maine Woodturners, 16 Coffin Street, Brunswick, ME 04011



This Month's Meeting — December 15th
@ ERSKINE ACADEMY 7:00 to 9:00pm

Let Us Demonstrate

Last month's demonstrator was Dave Lancaster. Those of you who were not able to be there missed a fine (and I might add) interesting demonstration. Dave has a unique presentation style that keeps things moving. He tried to bury the only guest we had with shavings. Did a pretty good job of it too I might add.

No demo. this month, but Dave said he'll be back in Jan.

Membership List

This is a list of additional paid up members of the Maine Wood Turners Association. If anyone is left out that has paid their dues, please let Bob Morrell know and he will pass the information on to the editor for addition in the next newsletter. Please keep this list as only additions or corrections will be published.

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Merry Christmas

There will be a Christmas present swap at the December meeting. Bring whatever you like (wrapped or in a paper bag will do). Then at the meeting everyone will pick a number out of a bowl to see who goes first. Then you go in order opening presents and deciding if you want the one you picked or someone else's pick. This goes on till the end and the guy who picked the first number gets choice of all the presents. This sounds a little confusing, but it's a lot of fun.





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Show & Tell Samples

